

## THE COURT RECORD.

## What Was Done by the District Judiciary in Yesterday's Transactions.

**Supreme Court in General Term.**—Chief Justice Carter, Justice Harmer and Justice Farley vs. Green; testimony adjudged inadmissible. Moore et al. vs. Harrison et al.; argued and submitted.

**Circuit Court—Justice MacArthur.**—Collins vs. Baldwin; judgment by agreement, except as to protest. Nathan & Co. vs. Greenapple; defendant called and judgment. Crut v. Buckley; death of both parties suggested.

**Equity Court—Judge James.**—Thompson vs. Arnold; auditor's report ratified. Campbell vs. Jaeger, C. B. Dineen vs. MacCall, except as to James vs. Jones, J. B. Lerner and J. E. Hamilton, solicitors, allowed to retire. Mitchell vs. Wood; testimony ordered before Examiner J. D. Barnard. Riley vs. Riley; testimony ordered taken before Examiner L. A. Dent. Sweeney vs. Sweeney; testimony ordered taken before Examiner E. D. F. Brady. Birney vs. Robinson; certain depositions suppressed and found; ordered paid to A. A. Birney, MacCall vs. MacCall on hearing.

**Criminal Court—Justice Wylie.**—William Young, embezzlement; verdict not guilty. James Ross, embezzlement; defendant committed. William Thomas and John H. Harris, larceny; verdict not guilty. Potomac Steamboat company, unlicensed bar sales; G. P. Austin, violating pension law; arraigned and demurred fled. George Northridge, housebreaking in the night; hearing continued to-day.

**NEW SUITS.**  
No. 8853, Margaret C. Stoddard vs. Catherine Booth; for partition. G. S. Hamilton, solicitor. No. 8854, Laura V. Godey vs. William A. Godey; for divorce. Cook & Cole, solicitors. No. 8855, Isabella J. Mann vs. James C. Mann; for divorce. Cook & Cole, solicitors. No. 8856, Mary Nolan vs. Michael Nolan; for divorce and injunction. Hine & Thomas, solicitors. No. 2482, John H. Davis vs. Mrs. Anna Cole; appeal. No. 2483, Joseph W. Stryker vs. John F. Kelly; action for \$114. C. H. May, attorney. No. 2484, M. Friedman & Son vs. Louis Kaufman; action for \$229. H. H. Miller, attorney.

**COURT CALL.**  
**General Term.**—Chief Justice Carter, Justices Harmer and Cox—Nos. 99, 100, 101, and 104.  
**Equity Court—Justice James.**—Assignment unchanged, with MacCall vs. MacCall. No. 112, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, and 121.  
**Probate Court—Register Bonded.**—General business.

**Criminal Court—Justice Wylie.**—Nos. 14896, 14897, 14898, 14899, 14900, 14901, 14902, 14903, 14904, 14905, 14906, 14907, 14908, 14909, 14910, 14911, 14912, 14913, 14914, 14915, 14916, 14917, 14918, 14919, 14920, 14921, 14922, 14923, 14924, 14925, 14926, 14927, 14928, 14929, 14930, 14931, 14932, 14933, 14934, 14935, 14936, 14937, 14938, 14939, 14940, 14941, 14942, 14943, 14944, 14945, 14946, 14947, 14948, 14949, 14950, 14951, 14952, 14953, 14954, 14955, 14956, 14957, 14958, 14959, 14960, 14961, 14962, 14963, 14964, 14965, 14966, 14967, 14968, 14969, 14970, 14971, 14972, 14973, 14974, 14975, 14976, 14977, 14978, 14979, 14980, 14981, 14982, 14983, 14984, 14985, 14986, 14987, 14988, 14989, 14990, 14991, 14992, 14993, 14994, 14995, 14996, 14997, 14998, 14999, 15000.

**THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.**  
In the court of commissioners of Alabama claims yesterday the following minor cases were argued and submitted: No. 819, Salmon Falls Manufacturing company; 820, York Manufacturing company; 821, Benjamin F. Patten; 822, George H. Chapman; 2077, Charles V. Wood; 2083, Charles Henry Polier; 2089, Joseph Greaser; 2782, Mark Whitson, administrators; 2740, Starks; 3130, Frederick W. Bradlee et al., surviving partners; 4307, George W. Jackson, Jr.; 1737, the Pemberton company; 2481, E. Stevens; 4065, James F. Skowen; 1009, Kate Roy, administratrix; 2169, Jack W. Cheney; 2180, Robert Snowman, and 4115, Manuel Silver, administrators.

It is a fact too well known to be denied, that if it were not for the fact that the owners of the plant in Florida would put their rates up to \$10 per day.

## THE COLORED CONVENTION.

Meeting of the Committee Appointed in Louisville Last Summer.

The committee consisting of two delegates from each state, which was appointed at the annual convention of colored men held in Louisville last September, will meet on O street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, today at noon. The meeting is held in response to a call from the chairman, Col. W. A. Hedger, of Atlanta, Ga. The meeting was to have been held on the twenty-fifth inst., but important business delayed some of the delegates at home. Mr. Frederick Douglass, Register Buco, and Col. P. B. Fitch, will attend. One of the features of the meeting will be a resolution offered by W. T. Scott, editor of the Cairo (Ill.) Gazette, asking that Congress should pass a bill to give the colored man the right to vote. It is also the intention of some of the delegates to move to condemn the recent action of the Supreme Court in the case of Plessy vs. Ferguson, which is held to be unconstitutional. Other important measures will receive attention.

Among the delegates registered in the city last night were W. T. Scott, of Cairo, Ill.; W. T. Curtis, of St. Louis, Mo.; Maj. S. W. Scott, of Chicago, Ill.; Col. W. A. Hedger, of Atlanta, Ga.; A. W. Williams, of Kansas City, Mo.; George W. Williams, of Boston, Mass.; Col. Dumont and P. B. Fitch, of New Orleans, La.; Capt. Matthews, of Kansas; Prof. Simmons, of Louisville, Ky.; Judge Ruffin, of Boston, Mass.; Rev. Swens, of Indiana; W. C. Coker, of the District of Columbia; and George Arnold, of Virginia.

A healthy body is indispensable to a vigorous mind. A bilious and dyspeptic man, whose blood drags sluggishly in his veins, can neither think clearly nor act wisely. Ayer's Pills will aid you to the liver, excite the stomach and bowels, and restore the power of the system, renovate the mind, and restore a healthy temperament for the mind.

## A Carol With a Moral.

"Christmas comes but once a year," runs the old carol, "and when it comes let all have cheer." "Correct," good advice, and if all followed it, doctors' bills in 1894 would drop to a level. A good many people are so busy as to forget to play, and when they do, it is a grim sort of business at the best. However, in the many busy days with a gusto that is refreshing, and to add to the good time all around, the G. & O. as a railroad Santa Claus, and the many branches with a most appetizing assortment of reduced rates. They tumble upon the twenty-fifth, and that day until and including the twenty-fifth, and the single restriction of from Washington to Baltimore, where the round trip is already at bottom figure. Tickets purchased upon any of the days stated will be good to return up to and including Jan. 2. This covers Christmas. For New Year's tickets at the same reduced rate go on sale on the twenty-fifth to Jan. 1, inclusive, good to return until Jan. 2, inclusive. A whirl upon the rail at this season of the year is delightful, and when it is accompanied by hearty and joyful receptions at depots, big, brown, fat, roasting turkeys, mince pies, etc., it is just the best time of the year, and don't you forget it.

## Union Veterans Corp Garden Party.

On Friday evening last the ladies' auxiliary committee met at the armory of the corps at Masonic temple and effected a permanent organization by the election of Mrs. Dr. A. E. Johnson as president, Mrs. J. H. Joseph as vice president, and Mrs. Maggie V. Benner, secretary. Much earnestness was manifested, and after an interchange of opinions and hearing the Christmas card for the poor were desirous of procuring the hall of the Veterans' garden party, which was to be given on the evenings of Dec. 26, 27, and 28, kindly postponed their own festival to Jan. 21, 22, and 23. It now only remains for the ladies to make another change, the garden party will positively take place in January next. It is intimated that the ladies propose a genuine surprise at this festival.

To such of our readers as are contemplating a visit to New York we commend the Coleman house as a desirable stopping place, being on Broadway, and well connected to the several places of amusement, and easy of access by all lines of travel. Mr. J. H. Rodgers, well known as the former proprietor, and also the Kensington, Saratoga Springs, has again assumed control, and assuredly will make the Coleman even more popular than heretofore.

## Seventy-three New Patents Applied For.

Dr. Blanchard, whose inventions relating to combination power and light before been alluded to, appears as a rival of Edison in the multiplicity of patents, for he yesterday, through his attorney, Mr. T. H. Alexander, filed seventy-three applications for letters patent, in addition to those which he now has pending in the patent office, and these for which he has already been granted patents. This is the largest number of cases ever filed at any one time by Dr. Blanchard, and in the foremost rank of inventors, so confident are the stockholders of the company that he is controlling his inventions of value in the economic production of power and light that he is prepared to increase his capital stock from one to ten millions. Scientific gentlemen who have examined the inventions are satisfied of their practical working.

**Speed's Wine for Consumptives.**  
Consumptive persons are greatly benefited by the use of Speed's Wine. It gives nourishment when everything else fails, and physicians prescribe it as a rich, nutritious wine. Prominent physicians and members connected with the New York board of health have inspected Speed's vineyards and wine cellars and speak of the products in the highest terms. For sale by druggists.

## Georgetown Cattle Market.

Sales of live stock at Drovers' Rest (reported by Tavernier Bros., proprietors): 200 cattle offered and sold at—best, 5 to 10¢ good, 4½ to 5¢ medium, 4 to 4½¢ common, 3½ to 4¢. 100 sheep and lambs at—best, 5 to 10¢ good, 4½ to 5¢ medium, 4 to 4½¢ common, 3½ to 4¢. 10 cows and calves at from \$20 to \$60. A few extra fine cattle, for Christmas, brought 6 cents. Market broke. The sale day next week will be Wednesday, the twenty-sixth inst.

## Huntsville, Ala.—Dr. J. T. Ridley, says,

"Brown's Iron Bitters is a good appetizer and merits attention from sufferers."

## Woodward &amp; Lothrop.

The Boston store continues to be unexampled popularity and prosperity, and in every part is thronged with purchasers. Their holiday goods are all of the best and of the most desirable varieties, and with the inducements they offer in prices, no wonder the store is so thronged. Their column on our eighth page cannot go un-read by anyone in search of valuable and desirable holiday goods.

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Black Worsted Suits at \$15.00, worth \$30.00.  
Black Cloth Suits at 18.00, worth 40.00.  
Fine Black Cloth Suits at 25.00, worth 50.00.  
Full Dress Suits, Swallow Tail Coat at 28.00, worth 50.00.  
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